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WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAKE CHARLES DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

VERSUS

RONALD L. BLOUNT, JR.

CRIMINAL NO.: 2:97CR20058-02

JUDGE MINALDI

MAG. JUDGE WILSON

CERTIFICATE OF APPEALABILITY

A final order having been filed in the above-captioned habeas case, the court, considering the record in this case and the requirements of 28 U.S.C. § 2253, hereby finds that:

☒ The certificate of appealability is DENIED because the applicant has failed to demonstrate a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right.

☐ The certificate of appealability is GRANTED for the below reasons:

The applicant has made a substantial showing that the following issues constitute a denial of a constitutional right:

Signed at Lake Charles, Louisiana, this 27 day of June, 2005


PATRICIA MINALDI

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE